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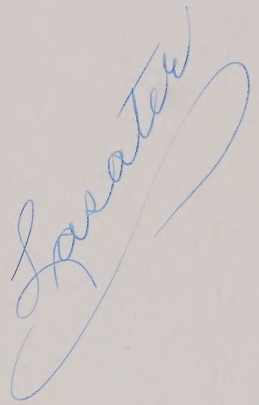
Treasured Leaves



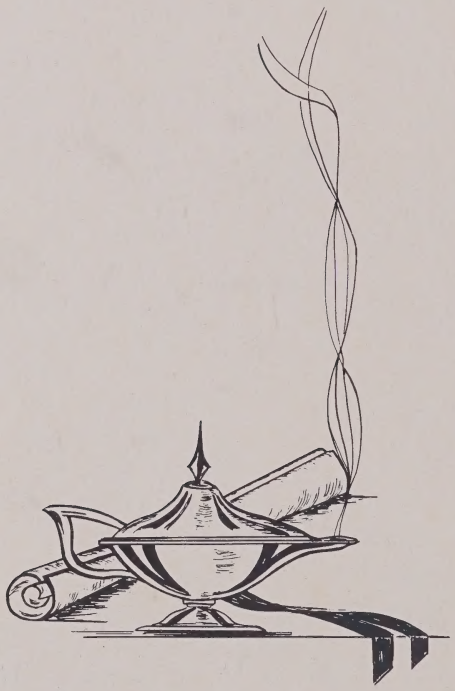
The Senior Class of
1954
Presents

THE TREASURED LEAVES

of

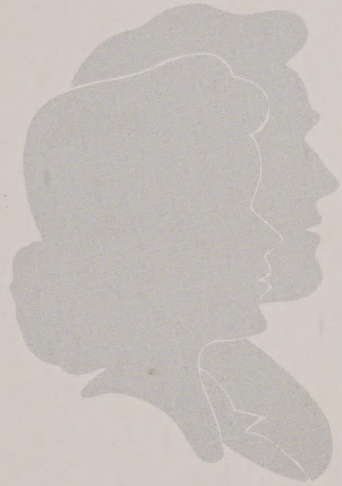
BONLEE HIGH SCHOOL
Bonlee, North Carolina

FOREWORD



The 1954 TREASURED LEAVES is attempting to record for you the events of this wonderful year; to give you forever the true spirit of this fast-moving year in a truly effulgent school--Bonlee High School. This is our effort to encompass for you the days of "this year at Bonlee High."

DEDICATION



As we look back through the years, it is our parents who have always formed the background, the foundation for our growth. They are the ones who guided our first steps and started us out on the first day of school. It is they who have made our education possible. We now take this opportunity to express our appreciation for all they have done for us. It is with grateful hearts that we dedicate this annual to our parents.

ANNUAL STAFF

Ass't Ed., Sue Anne Phillips; Ed., Joella Mobley; Bus. Mgrs., Marlene Clapp, Shirley Anne Andrews; Photo. Eds., Jimmy Edwards, Inez Hammer; Adv. Mgrs., Martha Ann Brooks, Shirley Beaver; Feature Ed., Shirley Beaver; Adviser, Mrs. Buckner. Not Pictured: Cir. Mgrs., Bobbie Webster, Clyde Webster.

ALMA MATER

'Mid the lovely hills of Bonlee, 'Neath a sky of blue;
Stands our noble Alma Mater, Glorious to view.

From the mountains to Atlantic, Many schools may stand;
But we hold thee most romantic, In old North State Land.

Loyalty to thee we'll render, Though thy walls we leave;
Memories both fond and tender, In our hearts will cleave;

Chorus:

Bonlee, Bonlee, Hail to thee. Onward may'st thou press;
Hail to thee, Oh! Alma Mater, Hail to B. H. S.

Alice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Andrews; Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Phillips.

MASCOTS

FAREWELL

For pleasant years, we studied and learned,
The things that graduates should know.
And now after four years of high school life,
It's time for us to go.

We've enjoyed our years at B.H.S.
And though we must depart,
Each teacher, each student, each classmate,
Will always remain in our hearts.

Andrews, Buckner, Erath, Wilson,
And, Mr. Shumar, you too,
Thanks for all the encouragement
When our school days seemed so blue.

We have high aims and certain goals
Which we all hope to achieve.
A farewell goes to all of you
Now that we must leave.

We've accomplished our mission,
This class of fifty-four,
And of dear ole Bonlee High
Soon we will be no more.

So goodby one and all,
There's not much more to tell.
This Senior Class of '54
Must say to you--Farewell.

Shirley Beaver

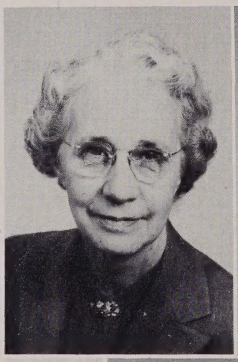
FACULTY

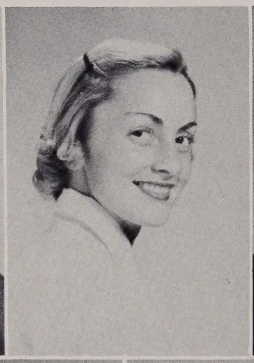
MR. WOODROW D. WILSON
University of North Carolina
Principal
Spanish, Social Studies

MRS. INA DUNLAP ANDREWS
Chowan College, Elon College
Math, History

MRS. HELEN MOODY BUCKNER
Woman's College of U.N.C.
English, Typing

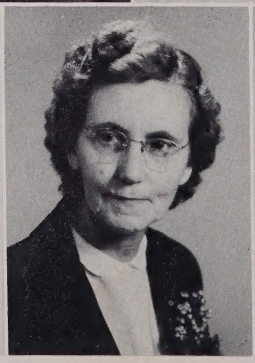
MRS. MARION
SKINNER ERATH
Woman's College of U.N.C.
Home Economics, Science





MRS. BEATRICE
BURGESS HENDERSON
High Point College
Eighth Grade

MR. GEORGE SHUMAR
Elon College
Coach, Seventh Grade



FACULTY

MRS. CLARA
JOHNSON BROOKS
East Carolina College
Sixth Grade

MRS. LOU HERITAGE ISLEY
Elon College
Fifth Grade

MRS. EVA ISRAEL DUCKETT
Asheville College
Fifth and Sixth Grades

MRS. MARY CHASON NANCE
Elon College
Fourth Grade

MRS. MARY FRANCES DOWD
Queens College
Third and Fourth Grades

MRS. MINNIE
JOHNSON MANESS
East Carolina, W.C.U.N.C.
Second and Third Grades

MRS. MILDRED
ANDREWS VESTAL
Applachain State
Teachers College
Second Grade

MRS. MARY
UNDERWOOD CLARK
East Carolina College
First Grade

MRS. FLORENCE
GLENN BREWER
Woman's College of U.N.C.
First Grade

MRS. AUGUSTA WHITE
Music Teacher

MRS. BEN CLAPP
P.T.A. President

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

President . . . . . Shirley Beaver
Vice President . . . . . Inez Hammer
Secretary . . . . . Sue Anne Phillips
Treasurer . . . . . Billy Vestal

CLASS MOTTO

Behind us lies the path of learning,
ahead the road to success.

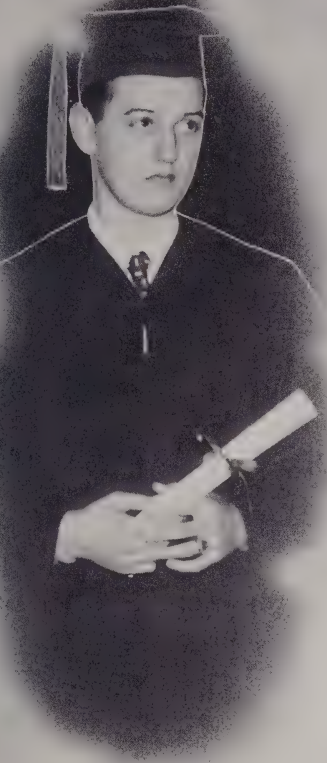
CLASS FLOWER

American Beauty Rose

CLASS COLORS

Red and Black

SENIORS



SENIORS

SHIRLEY ANNE ANDREWS
"The mildest manners and the gentlest heart."
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Co-captain 4; Play Cast 3; Annual Staff 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Monogram Club 2; Harvest Queen 4; Band 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Cheerleader 4.

SHIRLEY COLEEN BEAVER
"Light-haired, peppy, always gay, A leading lady in school and play."
Softball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Co-captain 3,4; Monogram Club 2; Play Cast 3; Marshal 3; Ass't Editor Newspaper 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Secretary 2; Class Reporter 3; Class President 4; Library Club Secretary and Treasurer 4; American Legion Oratorical Winner 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Class Poet 4; Athletic Medal 2,3; Girls' State 3.

BOBBY BEAVERS
"An honest man's the noblest work of God."
Class President 1; Baseball 4; Play Cast 3.

MARTHA ANN BROOKS
"Always around when needed."
Basketball 1,2; Softball 1,2,3,4; Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Cheerleader 2,4; Play Cast 3; Recitation winner 2.

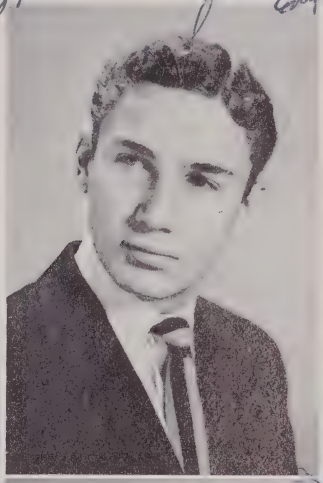
MARLENE LYNETTE CLAPP
"A sense of humor and the power to laugh."
Cheerleader 3,4; Play Cast 3; Softball 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Class Officer 2; Band 1,2; Marshal 3; Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Testator 4.

MARGARET DAVIS
"As merry as the day is long."
Softball 1,2.

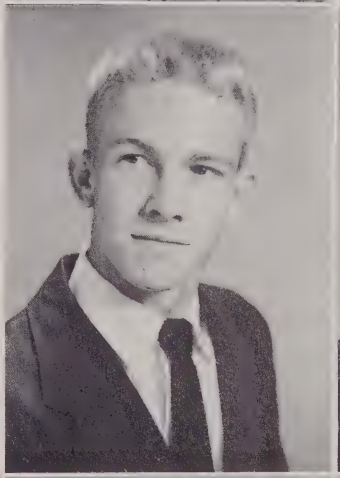
SENIORS

JACK K. DYCHES
"Education forms the man."
Barnwell 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2; Football 1, 2; Block "B" Club 1, 2; F. F. A. Club 1, 2; Manual Training 1, 2.

JIMMY EDWARDS
"A good sport on any court."
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Co-captain 4; Football 3, 4; Co-captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 2; Marshal 3; Class Vice President 3; Newspaper Staff 4; Class Reporter 4; Bus Driver 4; Play Cast 3; Monogram Club 2; Annual Staff 4.



HERBERT HENRY GAINES
"The man that blushes is not quite a brute."
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Bus Driver 4.

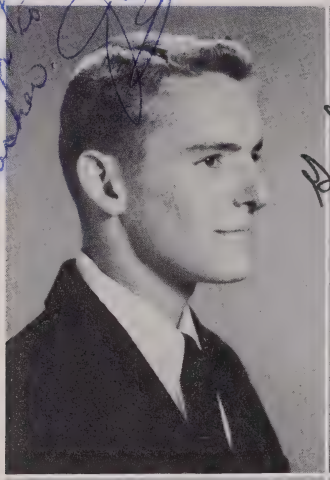


GLORIA INEZ HAMMER
"The most manifest sign of wisdom is continued cheerfulness."
Cheerleader 1; Softball 1; Class Secretary 1; Basketball 2, 3; Monogram Club Reporter 2; Class President 3; Play Cast 3; Class Vice President 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4.

CLYDE MANESS
"Wise to resolve, patient to perform."
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2; Ass't Bus Driver 4.

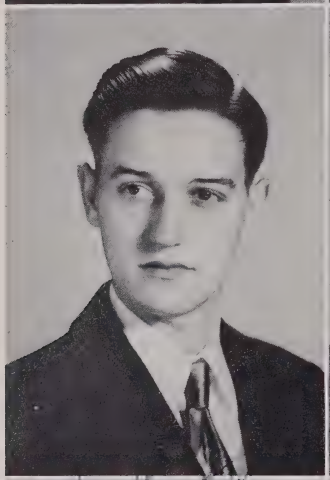
JOELLA MOBLEY
"If you mean to profit, learn to please."
Class Secretary and Treasurer 3; Play Cast 3; Marshal 3; Library Club 3, 4; Library Club President 4; Newspaper Staff 4; Class Historian 4; Annual Staff, Editor 4.

SENIORS

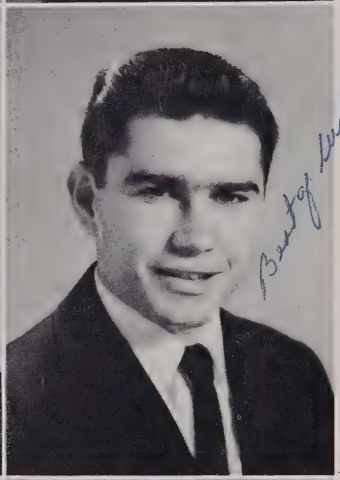


JACK PHILLIPS
"Friendship always benefits."
Baseball 3, 4; Football 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Play Cast 3.

SUE ANNE PHILLIPS
"She's such a good leader
We all call when we need'er."
Basketball 1, 2; Cheerleader 3, 4; Chief 4; Ass't Editor Annual 4; Editor Newspaper 4; Class Secretary 4; Band 1, 2; Class Prophet 4; Monogram Club 2; Play Cast 3; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club Song Leader 2.

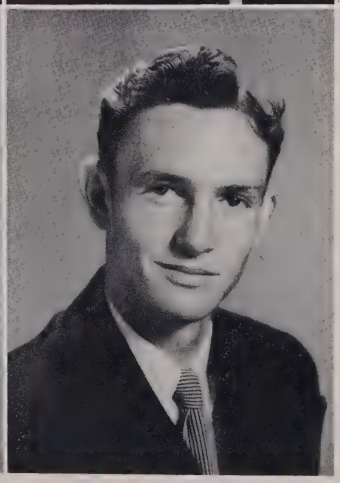


JIMMY ROGERS
"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men."
Play Cast 3; Marshal 3; Newspaper Staff 4; Class Vice President 2.



BILLY VESTAL
"What a fine man hath your tailor made you!"
Football 2, 3, 4; Co-captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-captain 4; Play Cast 3; Newspaper Staff 4; Monogram Club Vice President 2; Class President 2; Class Treasurer 4; Bus Driver 4; Volley Ball 1, 2; Marshal 3; 4-H Club 3, 4; 4-H Club Reporter 4.

BOBBIE PHILLIPS WEBSTER
"Strive for character, not reputation."
Class Vice President 1; Softball 1, 2; Play Cast 3; Annual Staff 4.



CLYDE THOMAS WEBSTER
"It is better to be happy than to be wise."
Goldston 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; Monogram Club 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Play Cast 3; Annual Staff 4; Bus Driver 4.

CLASS HISTORY

We the Seniors of '54 know it's the end of twelve years at Bonlee High School and the beginning of a life that Bonlee has taught us to live. We began in the first grade with eight long years of grammar school before us, and then in the fall of 1950 we were freshmen with ages and ages of high school before us.

When we started our first year in high school, there were many things to get used to--the changing of classes--having more than one teacher--being sponsored by Mrs. Charles Broyles--simple as they seem, memories crowded in. We received our first real fund-raising experience from working in the cafeteria at the Halloween Carnival. The big thrill of the year was a hike to Ore Hill Mountain, and did we enjoy the delicious picnic we had when lunch time slipped up! At the end of our freshman year, we were impressed with high school and we realized that we had a lot to learn.

Then another fall, and memories still gathering. This year we were sponsored by Mr. W. D. Wilson, and he took us on a very interesting tour of the High Point Bending Mill. In the fall we helped again in the cafeteria at the Halloween Carnival, and in the spring several of our girls were waitresses at the Junior and Senior banquet. Soon the Seniors were discussing leaving, but graduation had nothing whatever to do with us--too far off.

But it took less time than ever for September to roll around--a welcome from "Miss Ina," our Junior sponsor, and we were really glad to be back. We kept our class officers--President, Inez Hammer; Vice President, Jimmy Edwards; and Secretary and Treasurer, Joella Mobley--very busy. People stood back and took notice as we began to control a few things. This year we sponsored the "Sauline Players" and had a small fund-raising project at the Halloween Carnival. In the spring we presented the farce comedy, "The Cannibal Queen," and we really enjoyed presenting this play--our first one. The trip of the year was to Washington, D. C., along with the '53 seniors; this trip will never be forgotten because we packed in an enormous amount of fun and many educational facts. The treat of the year was the Junior and Senior banquet, "The Flower Garden"; the seniors enjoyed the banquet very much, and so did we. Remember all those times the seniors almost heard our plans or saw our decorations? Time raced some more, and it wasn't possible that we would be seniors next fall!

But we were, and are, and now we were. Remember how thrilled we were to have Mrs. Dalton Buckner for our sponsor this year--our last year? Again we kept our class officers busy; these faithful workers were Shirley Beaver, President; Inez Hammer, Vice President; Sue Anne Phillips, Secretary; and Billy Vestal, Treasurer. We were really getting to run things this year; we edited the school paper, the GAZETTE, and published the annual, TREASURED LEAVES. We suddenly began to think about colleges, jobs, and the future and then--it was hard to believe that WE were wearing caps and gowns. Parties, graduation exercises, and graduation presents--for us, the freshmen of '50. We look back and wonder how we got through some situations. We remember many things--how happy we were when we got our class rings in late October--the joy we received when Shirley Anne Andrews was elected Harvest Queen at the Halloween Carnival--the Senior play's being such a success that people are still talking about it--the beautiful banquet the Juniors gave us--all the mornings we waited for those orange busses--the ballgames and all the activities we enjoyed so much, Suddenly we were leaving, and as we said good-bye to dear old Bonlee High, we realized our mission had been accomplished thus far and that "The path of learning is behind us; ahead the road to success."

JOELLA MOBLEY
Class Historian

CLASS PROPHECY

So---you want to hear another story, Children? Well, gather around and let me see----. Now did I ever tell you about my visit to the old Gypsy Fortune Teller? I didn't? Well, it was back in fifty four when I was visiting one of my old classmates, Shirley Andrews. She lives in Cane Creek, Indiana, now and owns and operates the largest peanut farm in the United States. Well, getting back to the story, she thought it would be fun to visit the old fortune teller who lived near by and take a peek into our futures. And I! Well, I suggested that while we were there, that we take a peek at all of our classmates' futures too. She agreed and we asked the old gypsy to tell us first something about Bobby Beavers. After searching in her crystal ball for a while she caught a glimpse of Bobby hurrying to his job where he is a messenger boy for Western Union, now professionally managed by Clyde Maness. She also noted that he was riding a "flash" bike designed and manufactured by Herbert Gaines and Son, Incorporated.

She saw Bobbie Webster leisurely sitting on the veranda of her country home in the suburbs of Bonlee, waiting for Clyde to return from a drive with their twins, Mike and Ike.

The old fortune teller surely startled me when she stated that Margaret Davis, of all people, had signed a thirty-year contract with U.N.C. to teach Science to five hundred students a day.

Marlene obviously put her excellent Chemistry record to use because she was seen in white attire scurrying about her work in an immaculate hospital in Washington, D. C. The hospital is under the direction of Chief-of-Staff, Dr. Earnest J. Rogers.

Martha was glimpsed in her dress shop where she designs wardrobes in sizes from forty through sixty for pleasingly plump ladies. She seemed to have quite a bit of business, considering!

The gypsy seemed to think that Billy had acquired fame for his guarding feats on the football team of the Washington Red Skins. I certainly hope nobody tries to get the water bucket though!

She had a hard time making connections with Jack Phillips as he was between stops on one of his cross-country tour specials. He can afford specials, you know; he owns the "Safe Way Bus Company."

It wasn't very hard to get in touch with Joella; she seemed to be very settled in Durham, N. C., where she is a very shrewd business manager of an old maids' home and in her spare time is compiling a novel called "IT AIN'T NO FUN TO BE SINGLE."

Jimmy Edwards seemed to be rather swift on his feet but she finally managed to determine his line of business by his uniform. He was not in the service but was a very efficient Bell Hop in the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago and only last week he was awarded the title of being "Mr. Bell Hop of 1960."

The old fortune teller caught a glimpse of Shirley Beaver flying from the door of a good woman who obviously didn't want any brushes. But as a whole, she seemed to be pretty successful as a Fuller Brush saleswoman.

Madame Gypsy had a hard time distinguishing Inez from the many people gathered in her small curiosity shop in Bonlee. She undoubtedly did not pull up roots after her marriage and decided to make her home there.

Jack Dyches is known in the district of Bear Creek as "The Cattle King." He owns a large cattle ranch there; you know--couple of cows, couple of calves.....

And, children, did you know that that old gypsy predicted that I would be right here on T.V. doing the "Tele-Story Time" show; and you see, that's just what I'm doing!

Well, little ones, goodby until tomorrow when I shall expect to see each of you right here in Studio One.

SUE ANNE PHILLIPS
Class Prophet

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the nineteen hundred fifty-four class of Bonlee High School, in the county of Chatham, state of North Carolina, being of strong bodies and almost sane minds, do hereby declare this will legal, and any previous will null and void.

ARTICLE I. TO THE FACULTY:

To Mr. Wilson we leave a joke book--not that he needs it--to keep his future classes entertained.

To Mrs. Buckner we leave our worn grammar and literature books. Take good care of them--we may need them again!

To "Miss Ina" we leave thanks for helping us our Junior year. "Miss Ina," we deeply appreciate it.

To Mrs. Erath we leave a collection of chemicals to help next year's chemistry class understand chemistry better.

ARTICLE II. TO THE BUSSES AND BUILDING:

To the Busses and Building we leave the privilege of having us enter their doors each morning.

ARTICLE III. TO THE RISING SENIORS:

To the rising Seniors we leave the opportunity of receiving the one thing every Senior wants--a diploma.

ARTICLE IV. TO THE LOWER CLASSMEN:

I, Shirley Anne Andrews, will my ability to play basketball to Rosa Ann Brewer. Practice makes perfect, Ann.

I, Bobby Beavers, will my little green convertible to anyone who thinks he can afford to keep it up.

I, Shirley Beaver, will my athletic medals to my brother Dean. Let's keep them in the family, boy.

I, Martha Ann Brooks, will my large sweater collection to Bessie Phillips.

I, Margaret Davis, will my ability to be the tallest Senior girl to Polly Wilson. Keep growing, Polly, and you'll make it.

I, Jack Dyches, will my ability to finish the twelfth grade in one semester to Jerry Moody.

I, Jimmy Edwards, will Number 17 to Allie Carter. Best of luck to you and "Old Faithful," Allie.

I, Herbert Gaines, will my long curly hair--which I never got around to wearing myself--to Clyde Andrews.

I, Clyde Maness, will my Senior desk to any lucky Junior.

I, Joella Mobley, will my privilege of being editor of the TREASURED LEAVES to anyone who thinks he can handle it. No nervous breakdowns, Please!!!

I, Jack Phillips, will my individualistic walk to Shelby Jean Hardy.

I, Sue Anne Phillips, will my small waist line to Carol Pettit.

I, Jimmy Rogers, will my joke book, which I read every night in order to keep my fellow classmates laughing the next day, to Tommy Moody.

I, Billy Vestal, will my position as quarterback on the football team to Russel Webster. Keep 'em driving, Russ!

I, Bobbie Phillips Webster, will my "pixie" features to Magdalene Teague.

I, Clyde Webster, will my "gift of gabbing" to Jimmy "Doolittle" Phillips.

We, Inez Hammer and Marlene Clapp, just want to leave!

Signed, sealed, declared and published this the twenty-fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-four as our last will and testament.

Wittnesses:
Mrs. Fred Duckett
Mr. George Shumar

MARLENE CLAPP
Testator

BEST LOOKING
Sue Anne Phillips
Jimmy Rogers

MOST STUDIOUS
Joella Mobley
Shirley Beaver

BEST ALL ROUND
Shirley Andrews
Jimmy Edwards

Super

MOST ATHLETIC
Shirley Beaver
Billy Vestal

MOST DEPENDABLE
Inez Hammer
Joella Mobley

MOST POPULAR
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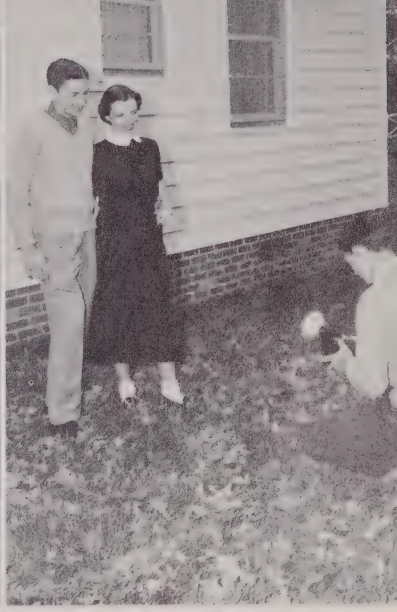

BEST PERSONALITY
Inez Hammer
Jimmy Edwards

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FRIENDLIEST
Joella Mobley
Jack Phillips

BIGGEST GRUMBLERS
Martha Brooks
Billy Vestal

WITTIEST
Margaret Davis
Jimmy Rogers

JUNIORS

OFFICERS

President	Allie Carter
Vice President	Tommy Burns
Secretary	Jane Markham
Treasurer	Clyde Andrews

Clyde Andrews
Lydia Andrews
Betty Jean Binkley
Helen Branson
Raeford Burke

Tommy Burns
Allie Carter
Manley Councilman
Shelby Jean Hardy
Tracy Hayes

Eleanor Holt
Jane Markham
Harry Moody
Joyce Phillips
Joyce Tillman

Russell Webster
Margie White
Betty Lou Wilson

SOPHOMORES

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President . . . . . Earl Gaines
Vice President . . . . . Thomas Headen
Secretary . . . . . Jean Rose
Treasurer . . . . . Ann Brewer

Delsie Beal
Betty Ann Beal
Barbara Boyd
Rosa Ann Brewer
Daniel Burke

Carolyn Burke
Mary Cockman
Earl Gaines
Tommy Headen
Frances Johnson

Jerry Moody
Carol Pettit
Bessie Phillips
Betty Jean Phillips
Shelby Jean Phillips

Barbara Reid
Barbara Rose
William Smith
Magdalene Teague
Ronnie Wolfe

FRESHMEN

OFFICERS

President . . . . . Hazel Cox
Vice President . . . . . Judy Clark
Secretary and Treasurer . Mollie A. Edwards

Arnold Arrington
Walter Earl Barker
Naomi Beal
Dean Beaver
Camilla Binkley
Berta Lou Brafford
Mary Ann Brewer

Therman Burke
Max Burns
Judy Clark
Hazel Ann Cox
Lillie Mae Dunn
Mollie Anne Edwards
Richard Fields

Clarence Foushee
Peggy Headen
Sulon Holt
Betty Jean Jessup
Willard Jones
Thomas Kivette
Tommy Moody

Vann Moody
Eutha Ann Neal
William Earl Nelson
Bill Phillips
Walter Phillips
Burle Pickett
Shirley Sams

Wayne Walters
Gerald White
Ruby Dell White
Arthur Wilson
Gene Wilson

EIGHTH GRADE

George Barnes
Betty Jean Blaylock
Betty Lou Branson
H. L. Brewer

Jimmy Brooks
Emma Jean Calicutt
Richard Carter
Frances Clark

Sara Frances Clark
Sonny Dark
Bobby Elmore
Carlile Fields

John Fields
Patsy Fields
Elizabeth Gaines
Boyd Harris

Ezzie Lee Hilliard
Nancy Hilliard
Luther Jones
Earl Justice

Harry Living ston
Ella Mae McCormick
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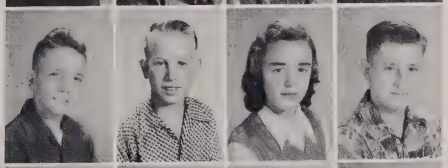
Bobby Petty



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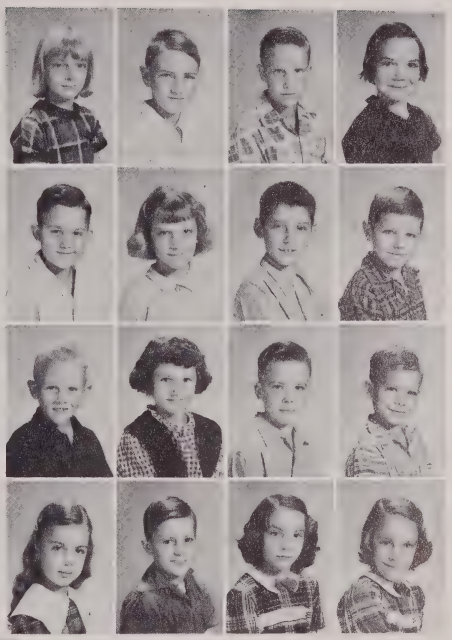

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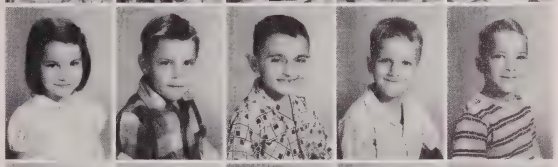

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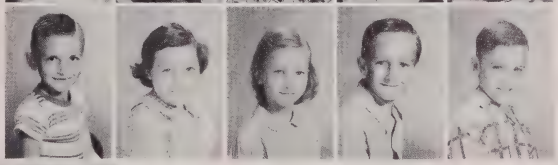

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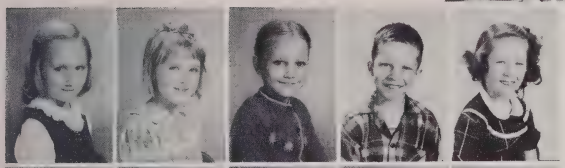

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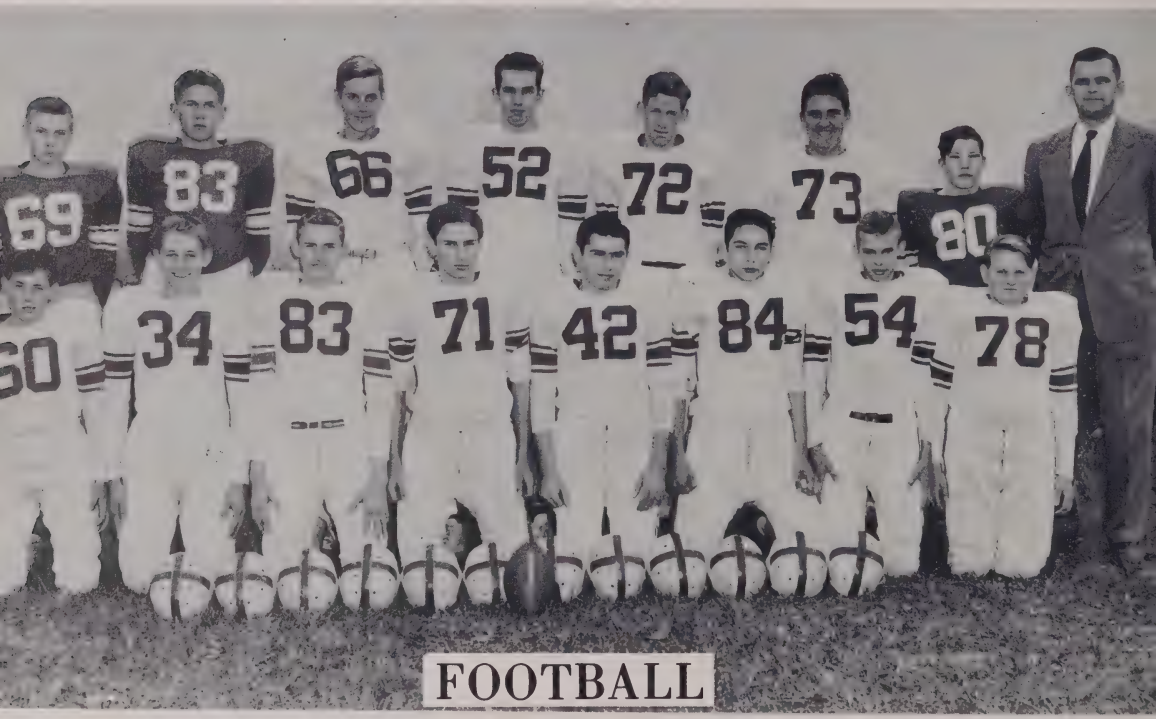

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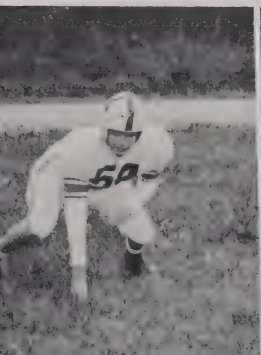
Left End



RUSSELL WEBSTER
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JACK PHILLIPS
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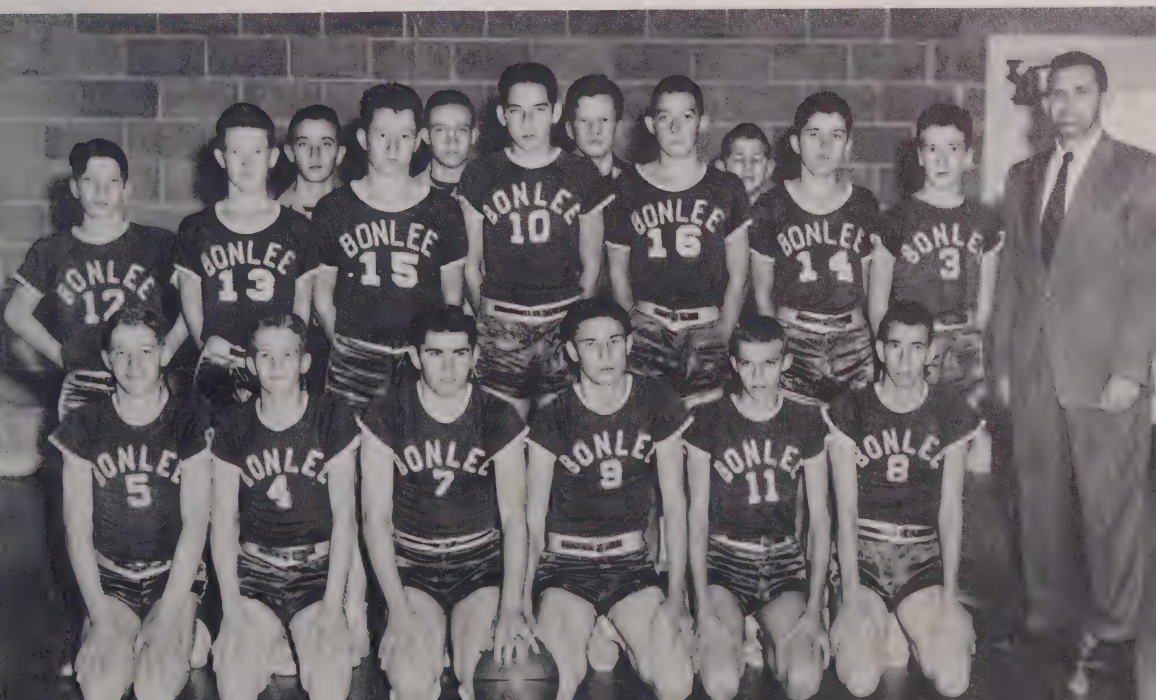

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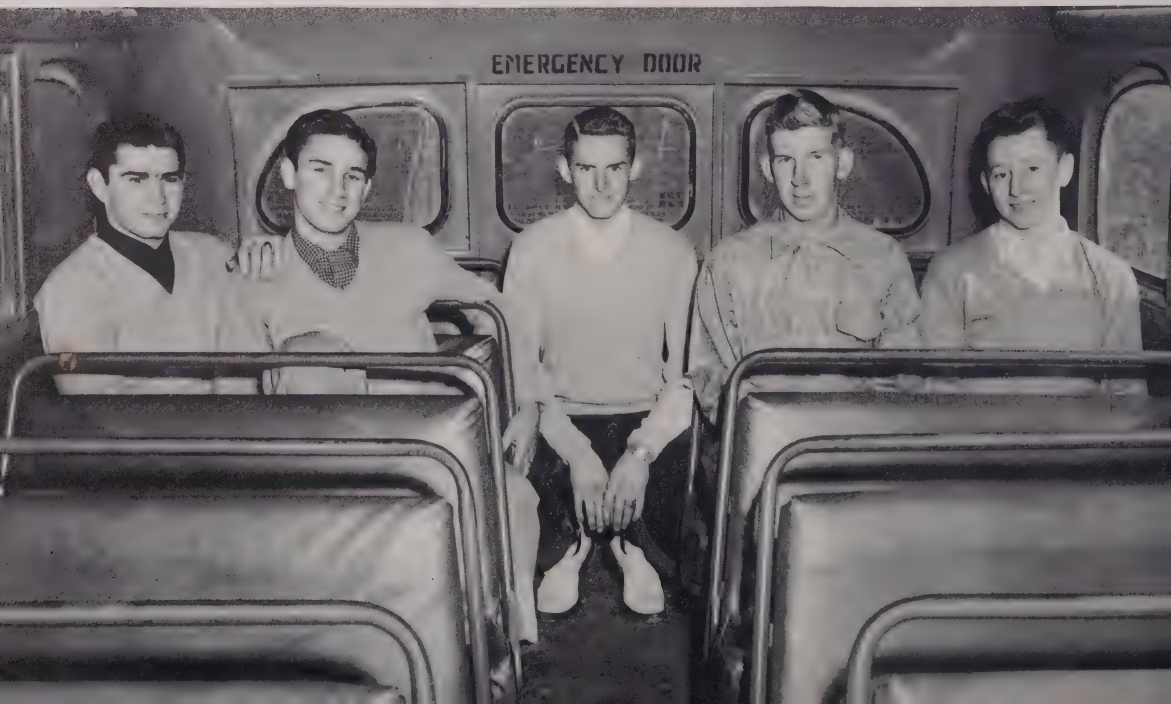

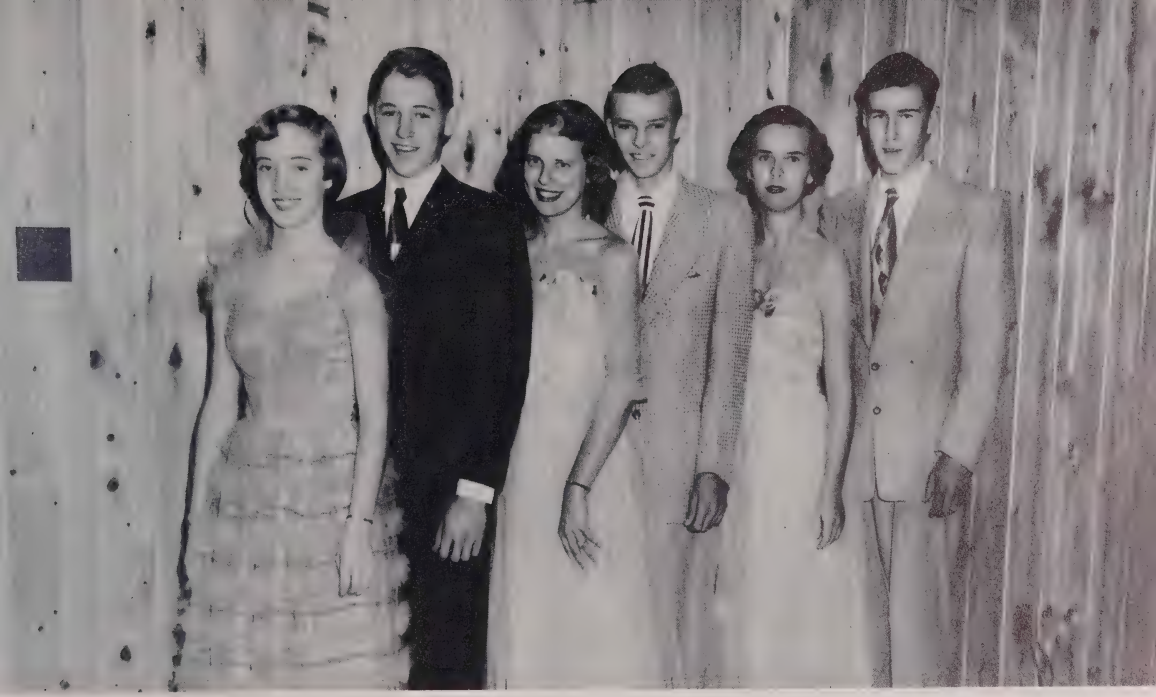

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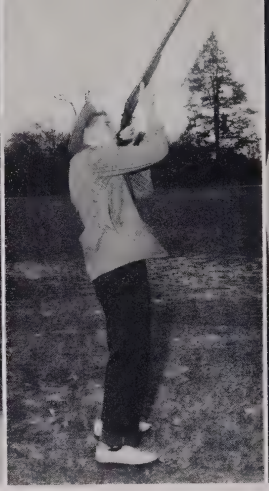

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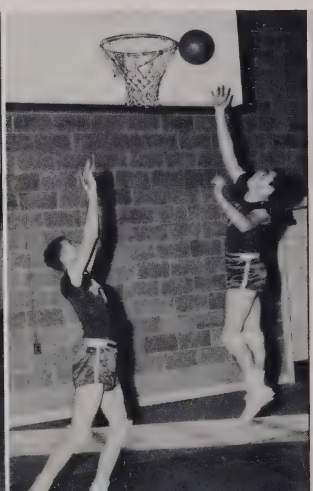

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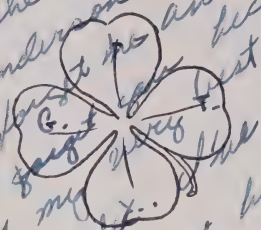

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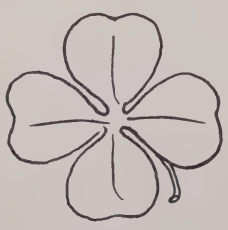

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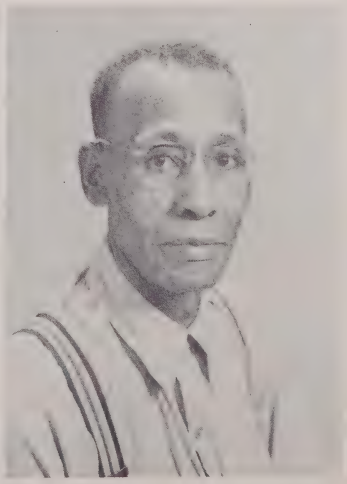

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April 20, 1954

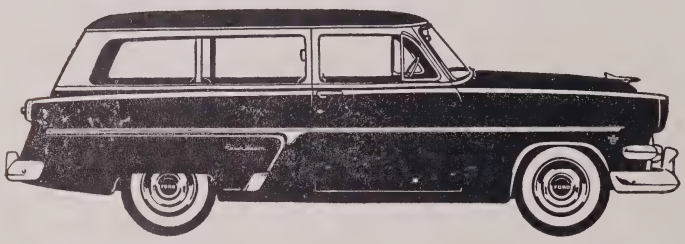
Mr. J. S. Waters, Superintendent
Chatham County Schools
Pittsboro, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Waters:

In behalf of the State Department of Archives and History, which administers the Hall of History, I want to tell you how happy we

from Bonlee School, accompanied by Mrs. Henderson, pay us a visit on April 20. We hope that the group found the visit profitable and that we may have many similar visits from your schools in the future. We were particularly impressed at how well disciplined and well behaved the children appeared to be and with

AGAIN FOR '54. . .
FORD'S OUT FRONT



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North Carolina

Darlan
Phillips

Mrs. Lasater
You're
2 sweet
2 be
4 gotten
Love
Elizabeth

Jimmy
Moody

Harry Lee
Livingston

You've been
a nice teacher
Love
"Marie Phillips"

Sarah Frances

Thanks for the
trip to Raleigh
Mrs. "Henderson"
You've been a
wonderful teacher
Love
Patricia

Good Luck Mrs. Lasater.
Love
Carlile

Best Wishes
Mrs. Lasater

Best wishes to a
wonderful teacher
Nancy Williard

Best wishes
Mrs. Lasater
Sonny Dark

Thanks for all
that which you taught
me. Without that back-
ground high school
would have been
much harder.
You are a wonder-
ful and consider-
ate teacher.
Best wishes.
Joella

Now that you are
married
and live down
South
Remember me and
my big mouth

Luther

I know I will miss you very
much. and like you very
much. I wish you good luke for
every.
Jimmy
Brooks

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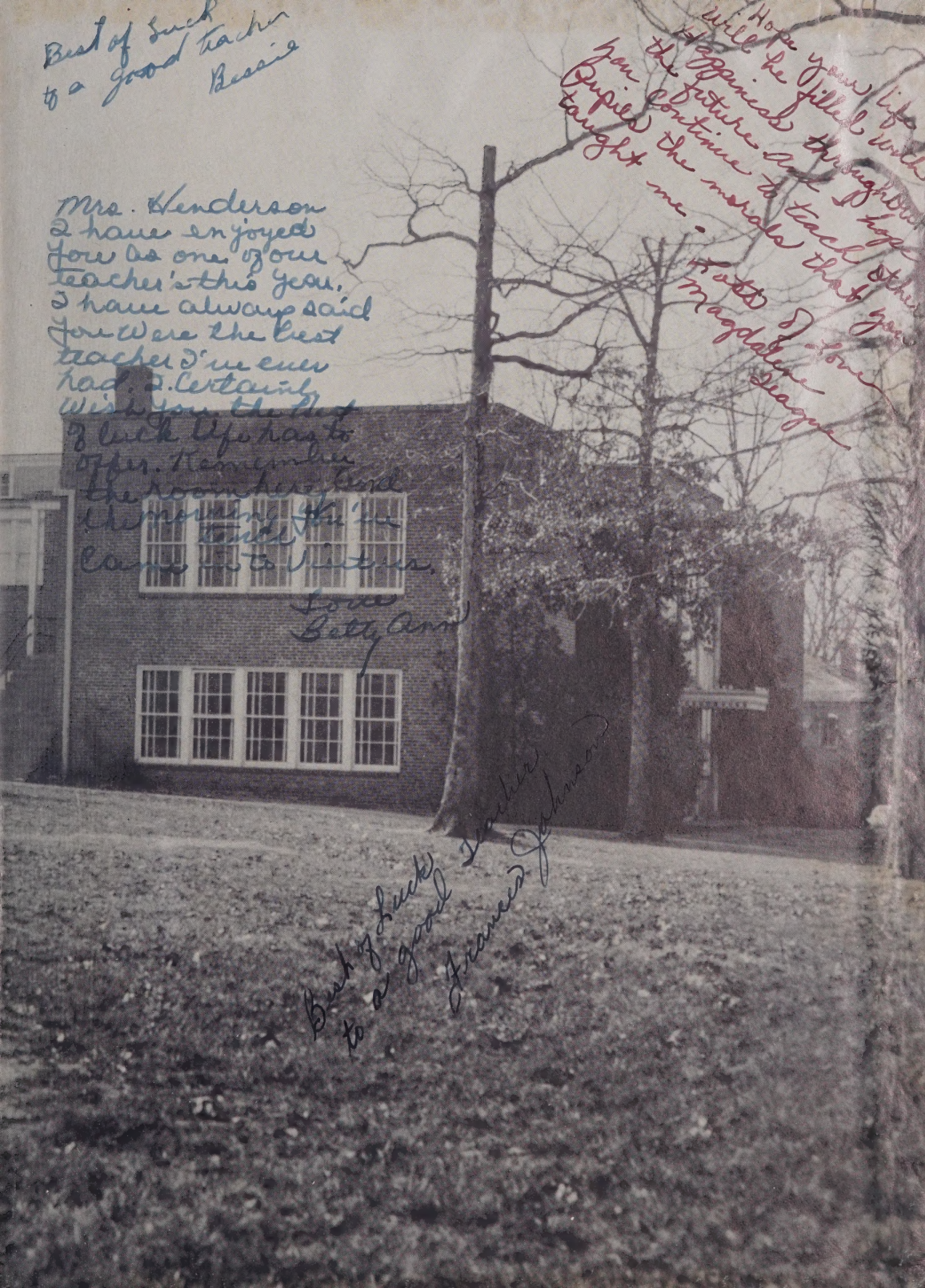
Best of Luck
to a good teacher
Bessie
Hope your life
will be filled with
Happiness throughout
the future and I hope
you continue to teach other
Pupils the morals that you
taught me.
Lots of Love
Magdalene
Teague
Mrs. Henderson
I have enjoyed
You as one of our
teacher's this year.
I have always said
You were the best
teacher I've ever
had. I certainly
wish you the best
of luck life has to
offer. Remember
the room here and
the morning we've
tried
Came in to visit us.
Love
Betty Ann
Best of Luck
to a good teacher
Frances Johnson